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Applicant(s): Hideki MORI et al.

Invention: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.143**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 29, 2008.

**Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.**